

Dear FCC

Please do not allow the National Association of Broadcasters to limit my freedom to listen to what I want to! Satellite radio has been a very long overdue musical oasis in the dry desert of commercial radio. I pay for the privilege of listening to the excellent music, weather, and news programming which satellite radio offers. The NAB has no right to limit the content of what satellite radio broadcasts just because they think they may be losing revenue. We who listen to satellite radio chose to pay to listen to better selections than the NAB stations can offer. I am tired of the canned music feeds I get from commercial radio!

In addition, since I don't watch much television, I get an excellent coverage of national and world news, not to mention current weather forecasts. Limiting satellite radio would be the same as telling me I can't read certain newspapers or listen to certain CD's.

Please, FCC, reject NAB's petition 04-160. This country should not be persuaded by those (like the NAB) who have more money or lobbying power.

Respectfully,
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